

SEAM

MEETING MINUTES

February 5th, 2026

12:00 pm



Type of Meeting: Monthly Board Meeting (In-Person)

Meeting Facilitator: Ian Riley

Attendees: Ian Riley, Tony Dumais, Matt Paladino, Greg Cuetara and Sarah Williams

Note: **RED** means there is an action item for this person.

Roll call

Approval of minutes from last meeting

Review of last seminar

1. None.

Priority Items

1. Financial updates, P&L statement (**MP**)
 - a. To-do: Still need to do the Eric Cobb donation.

December

- Eric Cobb Scholarship Fund - last contribution was in January 2023 for \$3000.00.

January

- 1st, fiscal year starts
- 1st (approx.), send copy of end-of-year membership roster to NCSEA.
- 1st thru. 31st, membership drive

February

- National Engineers Week, SEAM typically donates money and our logo gets added with the others.

2026 ENGINEERING WEEK EXPO - FREE EVENT! -

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN MAINE'S FIELD HOUSE
37 COLLEGE AVE, GORHAM, ME
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28TH, 9:00AM -2:00PM

Join us for the 2026 Maine Engineers Week Expo at the University of Southern Maine's Field House,
37 College Ave, Gorham, ME, on Saturday, February 28th, from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

2. Review and planning of possible future SEAM seminars
3. SEAM 2026 membership drive
 - a. Membership drive status update.
 - b. Tasks to complete membership drive.
 - c. Some checks were reported as sent to Terresa Price's (previous officer) mailing address. She has marked them return to sender, so some payments may be delayed.
4. ACEC Government Affairs Committee
 - a. ACEC Legislative Update: [3528a608-d924-4379-89f2-729e6727e36c.xls](#)
 - b. [January 2025 News & Events](#)
 - c. No legislative updates that directly affect structural engineers.
5. MUBEC Board
6. NECSEA Committee
7. Newsletter items
 - a. Newsletter to be sent out at the end of week (IR)
 - b. Welcome 2026 and membership
 - c. Engineers week notice.
 - d. Discount code for SEAM members to Structures Congress 2026
 - i. [Home | Structures Congress 2026](#)



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Secondary Items (Reminders)

- Review of SEAM bylaws, [Bylaws | SEAM](#)
- Google drive
 - a. Board folder on google drive
- SEAM social media accounts
 - a. Facebook

- b. LinkedIn
 - c. Add upcoming webinars and seminars to events on social media
- SE2050
 - a. SEI goals for 2050; [SE2050](#)
- Misc
 - a. Maine structural engineering awards
 - b. SEA Grant Program

New Business

Open Discussion

Adjournment

Seminar Planning 2026

Month	Topic	Type	In-Person/ Virtual	Person
TBD	Historic Building Analysis			Greg
TBD	2021 Code Updates	H/F	Webinar?	Ian
Fall	Colby Dormitory		In-Person	Matt
Spring	Roux Tour		In-Person	Matt
TBD	Bridge Tours, Western Ave, Augusta		In-Person	Sarah

Key:

F = Full day event

H = Half Day event

L = Lunch event
E = Evening event